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## THE VARSITY.

ST. JOE VS. GOODLANDAND—Dec. 9.

If there were any who had misgivings as to the strength of the Rep. team, we are sure that this, the opening game convinced them that the Varsity is one of which the students may feel proud. Though they had been chosen but a day before the game, the preliminary work had been so thoroughly done under our able coach Meyers, that they passed the ball in a way that mystified the visitors. The result 36 to 10 augurs well for the shooting.

ST. JOE 13; ST. VIATUER 24. — Dec. 17.

The first outside game of the season was played with St. Viatuer's at Kankakee, Ill. resulting in a loss for St. Joe. The game was well played by both sides, the failure to carry off the honors being no disgrace whatever. It was simply a case of manly defeat. The Reps feel confident that they will avenge their defeat in the return game.

ST. JOE — 50; BATTLE GROUND — 14.

Dec. 21. — This game was what one might well term a runaway from start to finish. Battle Ground was deficient in pass-work and shooting, while the Varsity starred in both. The Visitors are certainly out of their class when they play a team such as St. Joe's.

St. Joe — 28; Monticello — 24.

Jan. 9. — Without doubt this was the most exciting game played by the Varsity this season. In the first half Monticello had the lead 12 to 6, but towards the close of the second half, when the visitors were already beginning to rejoice, St. Joe. did what it has done so often before — it turned the tables and came out on top.

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## Senior League.

III. COM. — VS III. LATIN.

Jan. 7. — The Senior Basket Ball league opened with a good contest between the III. Com. and

the III. Latin. At the end of the first half the CommercialS were in the lead with a score 8 to 4, but a rally in the final half by the Latins completely offset their opponents and the final count stood 30 to 16 in favor of the Latins. Barth was easily the star of the game.

SENIORS — 23; II. COM. — 21.

Jan. 10. — The CommercialS were again in the lead at the end of the first half by the score 9 to 5, but the Seniors came strong in the second half and overcome the lead of their opponents. The game was featured by close guarding on both sides.

III. LATINS — 45; II. LATINS — 25.

Jan. 10. — We rather expected a defeat for the II. Latins because they were entirely out-classed in size, nevertheless the little fellows put up a strong fight and at all times had the III. Latins working. They are to be commended for their pluck and they can boast of some very fine shooters.

SENIORS — 26; III. COM. — 25.

Jan. 13. — Undoubtedly this was the best league game of the season. The Seniors had almost despaired of winning, but they went into it with might and main. It was well played and very close throughout, in fact it was anybody's game till the whistle blew finding the Seniors 1 point ahead. There was no ill spirit displayed by either side, and the Com. took defeat like men.

II. LATINS — VS — II. COM.

Jan. 13. — This was certainly an auspicious week for the Latins as the CommercialS have suffered the defeats. The II. Latins certainly play a very fine game and have good team work. The CommercialS were played off their feet as the score 25 to 15 shows.

## Juniors.

CARDINALS — VS — IMPERIALS.

Jan. 13. — The Cardinals and Imperials opened the Junior League, the latter being the victims by the small margin of 27 to 34. McDonald Bros. featured the game.

LAURELS — VS — BLUE BELLS.

Jan. 13. — The Blue Bells suffered defeat when they were forced by the Laurels to accept the score 14 to 12. The game throughout was very close and interesting.

## A Few Words from the Editors.

Once more Gym-Junk is with you to arouse your interest in the great sport of the hour. Although the fates have entrusted the destiny of the paper to new hands, the policy of the old editors, "A square deal to all" will remain, at the same time, the new management will do everything in its power to produce a breezy, interesting weekly, that will give an honest review of the games played by the Varsity and the various league teams.

But this is not sufficient matter to make the Gym-Junk as interesting as we would like it to be. On that account we shall make special efforts to have a Local Column that will more than please our readers. Yet all our efforts in this line, fellow students, are of little use unless we can depend upon you to give us the choice bits of humor that come your way. If you will but hand these jokes to any member of the Gym-Junk staff, or drop them into steel locker 202, the editors will do the rest.

Finally, a hint that concerns all. We hope you realize that Gym-Junk fills a want in Collegeville, in fact we know you do.

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## EDITORIALS.

When the Athletic Board after due consideration decided that the Varsity should consist of McArdle, Moran, Beckman, Winter, Deery, Reichert and Endres; there were some who shook their heads and whispered, rather loudly too, that we were "up against it." Yet one month has shown how much these "wise ones" were mistaken. St. Joe has the best Rep basket ball team that it has had for years and what is better, we all know and appreciate it.

At no time has a more loyal spirit existed among the students than at present; for in spite of the doubts at first entertained by some, there is not a student who does not now boost the Reps, there is not one who knocks, and this is exactly what counts. In the recent game with Monticello, we held second place most of the game; but good spirit and the rooting was so great that it acted as a stimulus to the fighting heroes, gave them more confidence, and enabled them to leave the floor flushed with victory.

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Yet this paper could not exist on the money received from subscriptions alone, even with the hearty support which you are giving it. Were it not for the returns from the advertisements, the attempt would fall flat. On that account, kindly bear in mind the old proverb "One good turn deserves another," and before visiting the city take a glance at the

advertising section and then patronize those who have placed "ads" in your paper.

## LOCALS.

Holthouse—Say, Slim, I didn't know a thing I was talking about in class today.

Williams—Oh, that's nothing; you never do.

At a recent meeting of the A. A. Board it was decided that all Rep players who take part in three games shall be entitled to a letter "J" at the close of the season.

Lost—A suit case.—Shorty Horan.

Kennedy—Do you know why I don't take any interest in Book-Keeping?

Shields—Why?

Kennedy—Because when I am a man they will have machines to do the work.

Patronize those who advertise in the "Gym Junk."

Burger—What's Keating howling about?

Pirola—He just sit on a tack and he's too lazy to get off.

Prof.—What method is to be pursued to gain Vocal power?

Bombach—Put the accent on the proper syllable.

Schulte (Playing cards) You fellows had better stop talking with your feet, else I'll do something.

John Pinsak is about to issue an important work of interest to the scientific world, in which he clearly proves the great detriment that muscles are to the human body. Mr. Pinsak claims he had the privilege of viewing a human being that was without muscles, so he is no doubt in a position to treat this important subject in a manner that will appeal to all thinking man.

The officers chosen for the Athletic Association for the coming session are F. Huemer Pres., T. Lenahan Sec'y., and W. Butler Treas. These with Reed, Reineck, McArdle, Moran, Whitcomb and Birkmeier shall constitute the Board of the Association. These are all able men, fully qualified to fulfill the duties of their office.

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